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BULLETIN 2.
SUMMARY OF DWELLINGS

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PREFACE

Final results from the 1971 Census of Population and Housing are being released in a series of 14 bulletins overing single and cross-classified characteristics of population and dwellings.

It should be recognised that in processing census data for 13 million persons and 4.5 million households there are innumerable possibilities for error. As in other areas of statistics, much of the effort of statisticians is directed to devising procedures which prevent most errors from occurring or which detect and eliminate those which do occur. Despite such efforts, it is impracticable to eliminate every inaccuracy but special steps such as editing and quality control procedures are taken to measure and control the level of such inaccuracy. Thus while some minor errors and discrepancies may be evident in the final results, it is unlikely that they would have any practical significance in the interpretation of the Census data.

A large number of tabulations are being produced for the 1971 Census which, because of their size and complexity, will not be published. In some cases, classifications of characteristics will be available at a finer level than those published in the Bulletins. A complete list of the tabulations produced (published and unpublished) and the levels of classification available will be published in the Catalogue of 1971 Census Tabulations (Bulletin 14). For information on the more detailed classifications and the availability of unpublished tabulations please contact the office of the Bureau of Census and Statistics in each State capital city or in Canberra.

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INTRODUCTION

Publications

The publication programme for the 1971 Census of Population and Housing comprises a series of 14 Bulletins; the title and content of each are as follows :

Bulletin 1. *Summary of Population*

Single characteristics : age, marital status, birthplace, period of residence, nationality, usual major activity, 1966 residence, religion, level of schooling, educational institution, qualifications, occupational status, occupation, industry.

Bulletin 2. *Summary of Dwellings*

Class of dwelling cross-classified by : number of rooms, number of bedrooms, nature of occupancy, electricity and gas, bathroom and kitchen facilities, sewage disposal, inmates by number of rooms, inmates by number of bedrooms.

Bulletin 3. *Demographic Characteristics*

Age and marital status cross-classified by : usual major activity, employment status, birthplace of parents, birthplace, nationality.

Bulletin 4. *Birthplace*

Country of birth cross-classified by : age, marital status, nationality, period of residence, level of schooling, qualifications, occupational status, occupation, industry.

Bulletin 5. *The Labour Force*

Employment status cross-classified by age and marital status. Occupation cross-classified by : occupational status, age, birthplace, qualifications. Industry cross-classified by : occupational status, age, birthplace, qualifications.

Bulletin 6. *Population and Dwellings in Local Government Areas and Urban Centres*

Bulletin 7. *Characteristics of the Population and Dwellings – Local Government Areas*

Single characteristics : age, religion, marital status, nationality, birthplace, period of residence, 1966 residence, usual residence, usual major activity, level of schooling, qualifications, occupational status, industry, occupation, class of dwelling, rent, reason unoccupied, number of rooms and bedrooms, nature of occupancy, facilities, sewage disposal, motor vehicles, material of outer walls.

Bulletin 8. *Characteristics of the Population and Dwellings – Commonwealth Electoral Divisions*

The topics in this Bulletin are identical to those in Bulletin 7.

Bulletin 9. *The Aboriginal Population*

Characteristics of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander population.

Bulletin 10. *Families and Households*

Bulletin 11. *Fertility*

Bulletin 12. *Geographic Distribution*

Bulletin 13. *Maps*

Each State, showing Local Government Areas and Statistical Divisions plus maps of principal urban centres.

Bulletin 14. *Catalogue of 1971 Census Tabulations*

Index of all tabulations, published and unpublished, produced from the 1971 Census.

Bulletins 1-6 consist of a series of separate parts for each State and Territory and one for Australia. In Bulletin 6 the Northern Territory part is combined with that of the Australian Capital Territory. There is no Australian part to Bulletin 7 and Bulletins 8-14 consist only of one part.

Each publication can be identified by a number and colour code system as follows :

Bulletin Number	*Title*	*Cover Colour*
1	Summary of Population	Yellow Green
2	Summary of Dwellings	Light Brown
3	Demographic Characteristics	Pink
4	Birthplace	Light Purple
5	The Labour Force	Light Blue
6	Population and Dwellings in Local Government Areas and Urban Centres	Light Green
7	Characteristics of the Population and Dwellings – Local Government Areas	Grey
8	Characteristics of the Population and Dwellings – Commonwealth Electoral Divisions	Dark Grey
9	The Aboriginal Population	Dark Green
10	Families and Households	Dark Purple
11	Fertility	Dark Brown
12	Geographic Distribution	Dark Blue
13	Maps	Olive Green
14	Catalogue of 1971 Census Tabulations	Dark Red

Geographic Area	*Part Number*	*Horizontal Band Colour*
New South Wales	1	Blue
Victoria	2	Orange
Queensland	3	Maroon
South Australia	4	Red
Western Australia	5	Black
Tasmania	6	Green
Northern Territory	7	Brown
Australian Capital Territory	8	Purple
Australia	9	Gold

As an illustration of the colour code system, all 'Summary of Dwellings' bulletins have light brown covers with a horizontal band varying in colour according to the State.

Coverage

In conformity with the 1967 repeal of Section 127 of the Constitution, 1971 Census statistics include Aborigines. In order to provide comparability between the 1971 and 1966 Censuses, tables showing 1966 data have been amended to include Aborigines or their dwellings and therefore differ from the 1966 tables previously published.

Persons with diplomatic immunity (diplomatic and home-based staff of diplomatic missions, and their families) are excluded from the Census. Dwellings occupied by persons with diplomatic immunity are also excluded.

(NOTE. Any discrepancies between totals and sums of components in percentages in tables are due to rounding.)

A FEW FACTS ABOUT THE CENSUS

At the Census everybody in Australia contributes

to Australia's knowledge about itself

YOUR FORM IS ABSOLUTELY CONFIDENTIAL. The LAW prevents anyone but the Commonwealth Statistician and his officers from seeing your return. OTHER PERSONS OR GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS CANNOT see your return for **any** purpose whatsoever.

THE STATISTICS ARE ESSENTIAL TO PEOPLE WORKING ON SUCH NATIONAL PROBLEMS AS:

- HOUSING NEEDS
- BETTER LIVING STANDARDS
- EDUCATION (SCHOOLS, TEACHERS, ETC.)
- WELFARE OF THE AGED, WIDOWS, ABORIGINES, MIGRANTS, ETC.
- CITY GROWTH, TRAFFIC PROBLEMS, ROADS
- SEWERAGE, WATER AND POWER SUPPLY
- EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT, VOCATIONAL TRAINING
- DECENTRALISATION, RURAL DEPOPULATION, LOCATION OF INDUSTRY

MOST CENSUS INFORMATION CANNOT BE OBTAINED IN ANY OTHER WAY. The great value of the Census is that all the information about everybody is obtained at the one time. This means that it can be added together and cross-tabulated to give a very detailed statistical picture of AUSTRALIA at a single point in time. Without you the picture would be incomplete.

THE STATISTICS ARE AVAILABLE TO YOU. All the statistical tables which are compiled from the Census serve important Governmental purposes, but they are also available to private individuals, the business community and researchers.

For Census Collector's use only

If this dwelling is unoccupied indicate—

1. The type of dwelling—
(Refer to sketches and descriptions on page 2)

- 1 ☐ Separate house
- 2 ☐ Semi-detached or duplex house
- 3 ☐ Attached house
- 4 ☐ Terrace or row house
- 5 ☐ Villa or cottage unit
- 6 ☐ Self-contained flat
- 7 ☐ Non self-contained flat
- 9 ☐ Caravan, houseboat
- X ☐ Other (describe) .....

2. The reason for being unoccupied—

- 1 ☐ For sale
- 2 ☐ To let (other than holiday home)
- 3 ☐ Newly completed and awaiting occupancy
- 4 ☐ Vacant for repairs or alterations
- 5 ☐ Holiday home
- 6 ☐ Condemned or awaiting demolition
- 7 ☐ Usual residents temporarily absent
- 8 ☐ Other (describe) .....

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CONFIDENTIAL

Any Census Officer or occupier of a dwelling disclosing any particulars from a Census Form is liable to a penalty of $100

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CENSUS OF POPULATION AND HOUSING AUSTRALIA

30 June 1971

HOUSEHOLDER'S SCHEDULE

Under the provisions of the *Census and Statistics Act* 1905–1966 you are required to fill in this form to the best of your knowledge and belief. However, there is no penalty for omitting information on a person's religious denomination.

The information supplied in this form is CONFIDENTIAL. The Act provides that it cannot be seen by any persons other than officers of the Bureau of Census and Statistics. It will be used only for obtaining totals for statistical purposes.

The completed schedule should be ready to hand to the Census Collector who will call on THURSDAY 1 JULY or as soon as possible after that day.

I certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief this form has been correctly filled in.

Signature of Collector .....

Signature of Householder ..... *Date* .....

Street, etc......

City, town or village .....

Bureau of Census and Statistics

HOW TO FILL IN THIS FORM

After you have read the instructions:

- **Step 1:** Lift this flap and fill in page 1 for all persons who spent the night of Wednesday 30 June in this household.
- **Step 2:** Give particulars of this dwelling on pages 2 and 3.
- **Step 3:** Complete a double page of personal particulars for each person listed on page 1.
- **Step 4:** Sign the form on the front page.

INSTRUCTIONS

1. FILL IN A SEPARATE FORM FOR EACH HOUSEHOLD.
   A household is a domestic group living and eating together. A person living alone is also a household.
2. IF THERE IS MORE THAN ONE HOUSEHOLD OBTAIN EXTRA FORMS FROM THE CENSUS COLLECTOR WHEN HE RETURNS.
3. THIS BOOKLET HAS PAGES FOR 8 PERSONS. IF THERE ARE MORE THAN 8 PERSONS IN THE HOUSEHOLD OBTAIN PERSONAL SLIPS FOR THESE EXTRA PERSONS FROM THE CENSUS COLLECTOR WHEN HE RETURNS.
4. IF ANY PERSON IN THE HOUSEHOLD, SUCH AS A VISITOR OR BOARDER, PREFERS TO FILL IN A SEPARATE FORM TO MAINTAIN PRIVACY, ASK THE COLLECTOR FOR A 'PERSONAL SLIP' AND AN ENVELOPE. The Personal Slip should be filled in and sealed in the envelope by the person concerned, for delivery by you unopened to the Census Collector with this schedule.
5. FOR ANY PERSON WHO COMPLETES A PERSONAL SLIP, ENTER ON PAGE 1 OF THIS SCHEDULE THE NAME, RELATIONSHIP AND SEX OF THE PERSON AND WRITE 'P.S.' IN THE AGE COLUMN.
6. Not all questions have to be answered by everybody. Read each question carefully, give your answer, then follow the directions to the next question which applies. Most questions can be answered simply by placing a tick in the appropriate box, e.g.

   Yes ☐ No ☑

7. If you do not know the exact answer to a question, give the best estimate you can.
8. Please use ink or ball point pen.
9. The completed schedule should be ready to hand to the Census Collector who will call on THURSDAY 1 JULY or as soon as possible after that day.
10. If you need any help with this form, telephone the Divisional Returning Officer for your Commonwealth Electoral Division, or ask the Census Collector when he returns.

NOW LIFT THIS FLAP AND FILL IN PAGE 1

LIFT THIS FLAP

● List in Column ① **all** persons (including visitors) who spent the night of **Wednesday 30 June** in this household (or returned on **Thursday 1 July** without having been counted elsewhere), and then fill in Columns ② to ⑥ for each person.

Column ① **First Name and Surname** List LAST any persons in this household who have completed Personal Slips (*See* Instruction 5 on previous page) For unnamed baby write 'BABY' and surname.	Column ② **Relationship to head of household** For example: head mother wife daughter son brother son-in-law grandchild visitor boarder co-tenant etc.	Column ③ **Sex**	Column ④ **Age** (In years and completed months) Years	Mths	Column ⑤ **Present Marital Status**	Column ⑥ **Is this person a usual resident of this dwelling?** NOTE A 'usual' resident is any person who has lived here for the last 6 months, or who will be spending 6 months or more during 1971 in this dwelling. OR any person who is here now and who has no usual place of residence.
1 First name / Surname		☐ Male ☐ Female			☐ Never married ☐ Divorced ☐ Now married ☐ Widowed ☐ Married but permanently separated	☐ Yes ☐ No ➤ Give State, Territory or Country of usual residence
2 First name / Surname		☐ Male ☐ Female			☐ Never married ☐ Divorced ☐ Now married ☐ Widowed ☐ Married but permanently separated	☐ Yes ☐ No ➤ Give State, Territory or Country of usual residence
3 First name / Surname		☐ Male ☐ Female			☐ Never married ☐ Divorced ☐ Now married ☐ Widowed ☐ Married but permanently separated	☐ Yes ☐ No ➤ Give State, Territory or Country of usual residence
4 First name / Surname		☐ Male ☐ Female			☐ Never married ☐ Divorced ☐ Now married ☐ Widowed ☐ Married but permanently separated	☐ Yes ☐ No ➤ Give State, Territory or Country of usual residence
5 First name / Surname		☐ Male ☐ Female			☐ Never married ☐ Divorced ☐ Now married ☐ Widowed ☐ Married but permanently separated	☐ Yes ☐ No ➤ Give State, Territory or Country of usual residence
6 First name / Surname		☐ Male ☐ Female			☐ Never married ☐ Divorced ☐ Now married ☐ Widowed ☐ Married but permanently separated	☐ Yes ☐ No ➤ Give State, Territory or Country of usual residence
7 First name / Surname		☐ Male ☐ Female			☐ Never married ☐ Divorced ☐ Now married ☐ Widowed ☐ Married but permanently separated	☐ Yes ☐ No ➤ Give State, Territory or Country of usual residence
8 First name / Surname		☐ Male ☐ Female			☐ Never married ☐ Divorced ☐ Now married ☐ Widowed ☐ Married but permanently separated	☐ Yes ☐ No ➤ Give State, Territory or Country of usual residence

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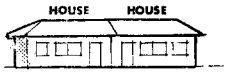
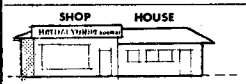
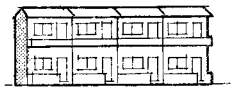
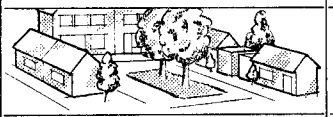
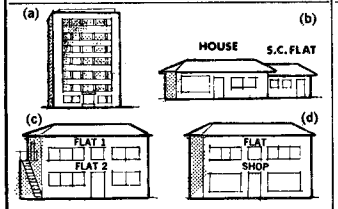
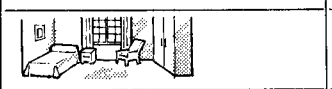
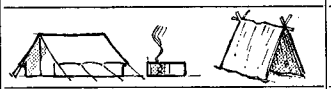
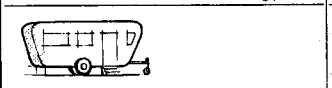
Total persons in household i.e. listed in Column ① and on any extra Personal Slips issued.	Males	Females	Persons

PARTICULARS OF THIS DWELLING

These questions should preferably be answered by the Head of the Household.
The dwelling for which particulars are sought is the house, flat, or other premises occupied solely by your household on 30 June 1971.

D 1. Tick the box opposite the description which best describes your dwelling. The sketches and comments will help you decide which box to tick. (Tick one box only.)

Sketch	Description	Dwelling type
	Generally a structure containing only one dwelling on its own block of land, separated by open space from other dwellings. However, if the house has only one flat attached to or incorporated in it, tick this box if you occupy the main part of the structure.	1☐ **Separate House**
	One of a set of two houses (single or double storey) joined together and separated only by a wall extending from foundation to ceiling, (exclude triplex or quadruplex—*see* below).	2☐ **Semi-detached or Duplex House**
	A house attached to business premises separated only by a wall extending from foundation to ceiling.	3☐ **Attached House**
	One of a set of houses (single or double storey) in a row of 3 or more separated only by walls extending from foundation to ceiling, (exclude Villa or Cottage Units—*see* below).	4☐ **Terrace or Row House** (including triplex and quadruplex)
	One of a group (three or more) of single or double storey homes separate or joined together in sets of 2 or more all occupying a common block of land.	5☐ **Villa or Cottage Unit**
	(a) One of a block of rental or own-your-own flats or home units. (b) A self-contained flat in or attached to a house. (Tick this box if you live in the flat) (c) A pair of self-contained flats or home units. (d) A flat in or above business premises. (e) A self-contained flat situated on the same block of land as a house, but not attached to the house.	6☐ **Self-contained Flat or Home Unit** (Self-contained means able to be completely closed off and with own cooking and bathing facilities.) **How many Flats or Home Units are there in this building?** .....
	A non-self-contained part of a house, flat or other premises (including room or rooms).	7☐ **Non-self-contained Flat** (Self-contained means able to be completely closed off and with own cooking and bathing facilities.)
	Shed, tent, garage, etc. occupied on a permanent or semi-permanent basis.	8☐ **Improvised Home**
	Mobile unit occupied on a permanent or semi-permanent basis.	9☐ **Caravan, Houseboat, etc.**
		X☐ **Other—describe** ....

PARTICULARS OF DWELLING

D2.(a) Was this dwelling built after 30 June 1966?
Yes ☐ No ☐ (0) → Go to question D3

(b) In what year was this dwelling built?

1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
1☐	2☐	3☐	4☐	5☐	6☐

D3. What is the material of the outer walls of this building?
If more than one, give main material.
(Tick one box only)

0☐ Brick		4☐ Timber	
1☐ Brick veneer		5☐ Metal	
2☐ Stone		6☐ Fibro-cement	
3☐ Concrete		7☐ Other (please describe)	.....

D4. How many rooms are there in your dwelling?

- Do not count bathrooms, toilets, pantries, laundries, storerooms, halls, or rooms used only for business purposes.
- Count permanently enclosed sleep-outs.
- Count a combined-purpose room, such as a living-dining, or a kitchen-dining room as one room.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8 or more
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

A room shared with another household should be counted only by the principal householder.

D5. How many bedrooms are there in your dwelling?

- Include also permanently enclosed sleep-out. If one-room apartment or bed-sitting room, tick 'none'.

None	1	2	3	4	5 or more
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

D6. Does your household have the use of a bathroom?
(Tick one box only)

- ☐ Yes, for this household only
- ☐ Yes, but used also by another household
- ☐ No

D7. Does your household have the use of a kitchen?
(Tick one box only)

- ☐ Yes, for this household only
- ☐ Yes, but used also by another household
- ☐ No

D8. What is the method of sewage disposal for this dwelling?

- 1☐ Flush toilet connected to public sewer
- 2☐ Flush toilet connected to individual system, e.g. septic tank
- 3☐ Sanitary pan collection
- 4☐ Other

D9. Does your household have the following facilities?
(Tick one box for each line)

	Yes	No
Electricity—		
(i) Mains	1☐	0☐
(ii) Home generated	1☐	0☐
Gas—		
(i) Mains	1☐	0☐
(ii) Bottled or L.P.	1☐	0☐
Television set	1☐	0☐

D10. Is this dwelling owned (or being purchased) by you or any usual member of your household?
Yes 0 ☐ → Go to question D12 No ☐

D11.(a) Do you or any usual member of your household pay rent for this dwelling?
Yes ☐ No ☐ → Go to question D12

(b) To whom is this rent paid?

- 1☐ State Housing Commission
- 2☐ Employer
- 3☐ Other landlord

(c) Is this dwelling rented furnished or unfurnished?
1☐ Furnished 0☐ Unfurnished

(d) What is the weekly rent?

- Include the weekly equivalent of any rates payable separately by this household; e.g. sanitation, garbage, water rates (other than excess water), etc.

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D12.(a) Is this dwelling situated on a holding of one acre or more which is used principally for agricultural or pastoral purposes? (i.e. for any type of crop growing, animal or poultry farming)
Yes ☐ No ☐ → Go to question D13

(b) Is this dwelling less than one mile from the nearest Post Office?
Yes ☐ No ☐ → Go to question D13

(c) What is the name of that Post Office?
.....

D13. Excluding this dwelling, how many dwellings (other than caravans or houseboats) are owned or being purchased by you (or any usual member of this household) in which you or they live sometime during each year (e.g. for holidays)?
(Tick one box only)

None	1	2	3 or more
☐	☐	☐	☐

D14. How many motor vehicles owned or driven by members of your household were garaged or parked at or near this dwelling for the night of Wednesday 30 June 1971?

- Exclude motor cycles, scooters, tractors.
- Include company vehicles kept at home.

None	1	2	3	4 or more
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

TURN OVER

1. **Name of person on line 1 of page 1**

First name .....

Surname .....

2. **What is this person's usual major activity?**
(Tick one box only)

1 ☐ Working in a job, trade, business or profession
2 ☐ Engaged in home duties
3 ☐ Child not yet attending primary school
4 ☐ Child at primary or secondary school
5 ☐ Full-time student (other than school child)
6 ☐ Other, specify: .....

3. **Was this person born in Australia?**

Yes ☐

Give State or Territory of birth .....

No ☐ → Go to question 4

(*a*) **Give country of birth** (not town or locality)

.....

(*b*) **Give nationality or citizenship**
(e.g. 'Australian', 'British', 'Greek', 'Italian', 'Stateless', etc.)
If Australian or British by naturalisation, write 'Australian' or 'British'

.....

(*c*) **State whether a resident of Australia or a visitor to Australia**

Resident ☐ → Give date of **first** arrival in Australia as a resident. Month..... Year.....

Visitor ☐ → Give date of arrival in Australia on **this visit**
Month..... Year.....

4. **Give the country of birth of—**

(*a*) this person's father .....

(*b*) this person's mother .....

5. **What is this person's racial origin?**
(If of mixed origin indicate the one to which he considers himself to belong)
(Tick **one** box only or give **one** origin only)

1 ☐ European origin
2 ☐ Aboriginal origin
3 ☐ Torres Strait Islander origin
4 ☐ Other origin (give **one** only) .....

6. **What is this person's religious denomination?**
(If no religion write 'none')

.....

PERSONS **UNDER 5 YEARS OF AGE** NO MORE QUESTIONS

7. **What is the highest level of schooling this person has ever attended?**

- Answer for all persons 5 years of age and over.
- If schooling was completed several years ago, in another State or overseas, give the grade which is most nearly the same.
- If now attending school give the present grade.

(Tick one box only)

Never attended school	PRIMARY SCHOOL Grade or Form 1	2	3	4	5	6	7	SECONDARY SCHOOL Year or Form 1	2	3	4	5 or 6
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

PARTICULARS OF PERSON LISTED

8. **If this person is now a child at school or a full-time or part-time student, print full name and address of school, university, college, etc.**
(If not applicable, write 'N.A.')

Name of school, etc. .....

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Address .....

.....

9. **Did this person live at this address in June 1966?** (i.e. 5 years ago)

Yes ☐ → Go to instruction following this question

No ☐

Did this person live in a city, town or village in June 1966?

Yes ☐ → Give name of that city, town or village

No ☐ → Give name of city, town or village which was NEAREST

(If overseas write 'O')

Name of city, town or village .....

State, Territory .....

PERSONS **UNDER 15 YEARS OF AGE** NO MORE QUESTIONS

IF THIS PERSON IS **NOT MARRIED** AND **HAS NEVER BEEN MARRIED** GO TO QUESTION 12

10. (*a*) **Has this person ever been a widow or widower?**

Yes ☐ No ☐

(*b*) **If now widowed, give the length of this widowhood**

..... years
(If less than one year, write 'O')

(*c*) **If since remarried, give length of LAST widowhood**

..... years
(If less than one year, write 'O')

IF THIS PERSON IS A **MALE** GO TO QUESTION 12

11. (*a*) **How many babies has this person EVER had from all marriages?**
(Include adoptions. Exclude still births)

Now living..... Not now living..... Total.....
(If none write 'nil')

Is this person AT PRESENT married?

Yes ☐ No ☐ → Go to question 12

(*b*) **What is the length of this PRESENT marriage?**

..... years
(If less than 1 year, write 'O')

(*c*) **How many babies has she had from this PRESENT marriage?**
(Include adoptions. Exclude still births)

Now living..... Not now living..... Total.....
(If none write 'nil')

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12. **Is this person now doing a course leading to a trade or other qualification?**

Yes ☐ No ☐ → Go to question 13

Give full name of qualification for which studying
(e.g. Automotive Engineering Certificate, B.Econ. etc.)

.....

13. **Since leaving school has this person obtained a trade or other qualification?**
(e.g. trade or apprenticeship certificate, diploma, degree)

Yes ☐ No ☐ → Go to question 14

Full name of qualification(s)
(e.g. Fitter and Turner's Certificate, Diploma in Public Health, B.Eng. (Civil) etc.)

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Main field of training or study
(e.g. brick laying, nursing, carpentry, economics, sociology, physics, electrical engineering, etc.)

.....

Name of training or educational institution(s) at which above qualification was obtained.
(e.g. Sydney Technical College; University of Melbourne)

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14. (*a*) **Did this person have a full or part-time job, or business or farm of any kind last week?**

- Tick 'yes' **even** if this person was temporarily absent from a job because of sickness, holidays, industrial dispute, etc.
- Tick 'no' if this person did not have a job or did only unpaid housework.

Yes ☐ No ☐

(*b*) **Did this person do any work at all last week for payment or profit?**

- Tick 'yes' **even** if this person was working only part-time or helping without pay in a family business.
- Tick 'no' if this person did not work or did only unpaid housework.

Yes ☐ No ☐

(*c*) **Was this person temporarily laid off by his employer without pay for the WHOLE of last week?**

Yes ☐ No ☐

(*d*) **Did this person look for work last week?**

- Looking for work means being registered with the Commonwealth Employment Service, or approaching a prospective employer, or placing or answering advertisements, or writing letters of application, or awaiting the results of recent applications.

☐ Yes, looking for first job
☐ Yes, but not for first job
☐ No

IF THE ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS 14 (*a*) and 14 (*b*) WERE BOTH 'NO', ANSWER NO MORE QUESTIONS FOR THIS PERSON

15. **How many hours per week does this person usually work in the job or jobs held last week?**

Main job..... hours

Other job(s)..... hours
(If none write 'nil')

IN QUESTIONS 16 TO 18 GIVE DETAILS OF THE **JOB (OR MAIN JOB)** HELD BY THIS PERSON **LAST WEEK.**
(If this person changed jobs last week give details of present job.)

16. **In the job held last week, was this person—**
(Tick one box only)

☐ A wage or salary earner?
☐ Conducting own business but **not** employing others?
☐ Conducting own business and employing others?
☐ A helper not receiving wages or salary?

17. (*a*) **What is the full trading name of this person's own or employer's business?**
(For government employees give full name of department.)

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.....
(USE BLOCK LETTERS)

(*b*) **What is the full name of the Division, or Branch, or Section (if any) in which he works?**

.....

.....
(USE BLOCK LETTERS)

(*c*) **What is the full address of the Division, or Branch, or Section (if any) or business at which he works?**
(Persons with no fixed place of work last week, e.g. taxi-drivers, airline pilots, etc., write 'N.A.')

Number..... Street.....

Suburb or town.....
(USE BLOCK LETTERS)

(*d*) **What kind of industry, business or service is carried out at that address?**
(Use two or more words. For example, **dairy** farming, **road** construction, **grain** wholesaling, **retail** grocery, **jewellery** repairing, **hospital** administration, Public Service, etc.)

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18. **What was this person's occupation (kind of work) last week?**
(Where possible give award or government designation. Otherwise describe as fully as possible using two or more words, e.g. **builder's** labourer, **electrical** fitter, **retail** shop proprietor, **shearing** contractor, **insurance** clerk.)

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EXPLANATORY NOTES

The Householder's Schedule

The Householder's Schedule used for the 1971 Census of Population and Housing represents a major departure in design from that used at the 1966 and earlier Censuses. The single large sheet used previously, with provision for a maximum of 8 persons, was replaced by a booklet-type Schedule with extensive use of the tick-box type question. In this schedule (a facsimile of which appears on pages ix to xii), the first page (page 1) provided for a list of persons in the dwelling, pages 2 and 3 contained questions relating to the dwelling, while the remaining 16 pages provided for two pages of questions to be completed in respect of each person listed on page 1.

The ordering of the questions was designed to minimise the number of questions to be answered by any one person. For persons under 5 years of age a maximum of 12 questions required an answer and 15 questions applied to those under 15 years. Males were not required to answer questions on issue and duration of marriage (Question 11) and only employed persons completed details of hours worked, occupational status, industry and occupation (Questions 15-18).

Definition of dwelling

An occupied dwelling is defined as any habitation occupied on Census night by a household group and may comprise the whole or only a part of a building. A household group is a person or group of persons living and eating together. The number of occupied dwellings and the number of households are therefore identical.

An unoccupied dwelling is defined as a structure built specifically for private living purposes and which is habitable, though unoccupied at the time of the Census.

Non-private dwellings are those dwellings which provide group-accommodation such as hotels, motels, hostels, and staff quarters and institutions such as hospitals, nursing homes, prisons, boarding schools, etc., and which were occupied on Census night. For such dwellings no details of the characteristics other than class of dwelling were sought.

Persons who on Census night were camping out, travelling on board ships in Australian waters or between two Australian ports, or who were enumerated on long distance trains, buses or aircraft were not regarded as living in a dwelling for census purposes and are shown under 'campers-out' and 'migratory' in Table 2. Persons classified as campers out include those living *temporarily* in tents, caravans or houseboats or who were camped out on Census night. Tents, huts, caravans and houseboats which were being used to provide semi-permanent accommodation were classified as dwellings.

Geographic distribution

'Major urban' denotes all urban centres with a population of 100,000 or more. The population and dwellings in all other urban centres below this size are included under 'other urban'. The balance of the State or Territory other than migratory (*see* above) is classified as rural.

The criteria used for delimiting urban centres at the 1971 Census, as determined by the Thirty-first Conference of Statisticians, October 1969, were as follows :

1. At each Census of Population and Housing a boundary shall be defined in accordance with these Resolutions for each population cluster of 1,000 or more population (and for known holiday resorts of less population if they contain 250 or more dwellings of which at least 100 are occupied). These clusters shall be named 'urban centres' and the population and dwellings enumerated in them shall be classified as urban for statistical purposes.

2. Around each urban centre with a population of at least 100,000, a further boundary shall be defined after consultation with planners, to contain the anticipated development of the urban centre and associated smaller urban centres for a period of at least twenty years. Such a boundary should delimit an area which is now, or is expected to be, socially and economically oriented towards the urban centre. It shall consist of complete Local Government Areas if possible. This fixed boundary (as distinct from the urban boundary which is moving) will delimit an area which, for general statistical purposes, is free from the practical problems imposed by the moving boundary, but which nevertheless represents the city in a wider sense.

3. In delimiting urban centres with 25,000 or more population :

   (a) All contiguous Census Collector's Districts which have a population density of 500 or more persons per square mile shall be included. Consequently, State, Statistical Division, Local Government Area and other administrative boundaries shall be disregarded;

   (b) A Collector's District which is known to contain a high proportion of holiday homes shall be classified as urban if the dwelling density is 125 dwellings per square mile or greater;

   (c) A Collector's District consisting mainly of land used for factories, airports, small sports areas, cemeteries, hostels, institutions, prisons, military camps or certain research stations shall be classified as urban if contiguous with Collector's Districts which are themselves urban;

   (d) Any Collector's District which consists mainly of land used for large sporting areas, large parks, explosives handling and munitions areas, or holding yards associated with meatworks and abattoirs shall be classified as urban only if it is bordered on three sides by Collector's Districts which are themselves urban;

   (e) Any area which is completely surrounded by Collector's Districts which are urban must itself be classified as urban;

   (f) Where an urban centre of 25,000 or more population is separated from another urban centre by a gap in actual development of less than two miles (by the shortest rail or road distance), the gap shall be bridged by classifying a connecting Collector's District or Districts as urban, and therefore treating the urban centres as one; if the gap is two or more miles (and whether or not it is comprised mainly of reserved land or a natural barrier) the urban centres shall remain separate;

   (g) Any area included in an urban centre in 1971 or thereafter under the provisions of this Resolution shall continue to be so included unless the population of the urban centre falls below 25,000, in which case this Resolution will cease to apply;

   (h) Large peripheral Collector's Districts in growth areas shall be fragmented; and so far as the availability of visible boundary features allows, the fragments so created shall be as near square-shaped as possible and of such a size that they will contain a collector's workload when fully developed. For the purposes of delimiting urban centres such fragments shall be regarded as Collector's Districts.

4. In delimiting urban centres with less than 25,000 population :

   (a) The urban centres shall be delimited subjectively (by the inspection of aerial photographs, by field inspection and/or by consideration of any other information that is available);

   (b) All continuous urban growth is to be included (which in small urban centres would not necessarily occur if the density criterion were applied), together with any close but non-contiguous development which could be clearly regarded as part of the centre. However, cognisance shall be taken of Resolution 3, where appropriate, particularly in urban centres which are approaching a population of 25,000.

In the following notes on the individual topics appearing in this bulletin, reference to the specific question in the Householder's Schedule appears in parentheses.

Class of dwelling (Question D1, page 2 of Schedule)

For the 1971 Census the question on the Schedule was expanded by means of illustrations and descriptions to assist householders in assigning their dwelling to an appropriate dwelling type. This was particularly necessary to enable identification of villa units, an important type of medium-density dwelling which has become common in Australian cities since the 1966 Census. The terms used to describe this type of dwelling vary over Australia and the Census Schedule used in each State and Territory was varied appropriately. The term 'villa unit' used in this bulletin covers dwellings described variously as villa unit, town house, cottage unit, villa development, cottage flats.

'Private houses' comprise dwelling types 1 to 4 on the Schedule and 'other private' include dwelling types 7, 8 and 9.

In cases where the question was not answered a class was allocated on the basis of other information on the Schedule and answers given for adjacent dwellings.

Number of rooms (Question D4, page 3 of Schedule)

For census purposes 'rooms' exclude bathrooms, toilets, pantries, laundries, storerooms, halls and rooms used only for business purposes, but include permanently enclosed sleep-outs. Combined-purpose rooms such as a living-dining room were treated as one room.

When no answer had been given to this question a number was allocated on the basis of the answer given for the geographically nearest dwelling of the same class, except in the case of improvised homes, caravans, houseboats, etc. when a number was allocated from a table of random numbers based on the distribution of the number of rooms, recorded in those types of dwelling at the 1966 Census.

Number of bedrooms (Question D5, page 3 of Schedule)

Nature of occupancy (Questions D10 and D11(a)(b), page 3 of Schedule)

At the 1966 Census 'tenant of employer' was combined with 'tenant other'. With the separate identification of 'tenant of employer' in 1971, data for 'tenant other' is not comparable between the two Censuses.

Material of outer walls (Question D3, page 3 of Schedule)

At the 1966 and 1971 Censuses cases where no answer was given were allocated a material based on the answer given for the geographically nearest dwelling of the same class.

Gas, electricity and television facilities (Question D9, page 3 of Schedule)

Number of motor vehicles (Question D14, page 3 of Schedule)

Bathroom and kitchen facilities (Questions D6 and D7, page 3 of Schedule)

Sewage disposal (Question D8, page 3 of Schedule)

Number of flats in block (Question D1(b), page 2 of Schedule)

Number of homes (Question D13, page 3 of Schedule)

Unoccupied dwellings (back page of Schedule)

For dwellings not occupied on the night of the Census, collectors were required to indicate on the schedule the class of dwelling and, as far as they could determine it, the basic reason why the dwelling was unoccupied.

NOTE. In these computer-generated tables some abbreviations have been used in order to present the data in the space available. Examples of these are :

NEC	not elsewhere classified	REL	related
PHYS	physical	STAT	stationary
PROD	production		

TABLE 1. CLASS OF DWELLING,NUMBERS AND PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION,URBAN AND RURAL, WESTERN AUSTRALIA , CENSUSES 1966 AND 1971

CLASS OF DWELLING	CENSUS 30 JUNE 1966		CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971					
	TOTAL	PROPORTION OF TOTAL OCCUPIED DWELLINGS	MAJOR URBAN	OTHER URBAN	RURAL	TOTAL	PROPORTION OF TOTAL OCCUPIED DWELLINGS	INCREASE OR DECREASE
OCCUPIED DWELLINGS -								
PRIVATE DWELLINGS -								
PRIVATE HOUSE	201163	89.1	159677	45415	42677	247769	86.3	46606
VILLA UNIT	N.A.	N.A.	1189	433	303	1925	0.7	N.A.
SELF-CONTAINED FLAT	14081	6.2	22702	2421	350	25473	8.9	11392
OTHER PRIVATE DWELLINGS	7172	3.2	2350	2893	3949	9192	3.2	2020
TOTAL PRIVATE DWELLINGS	222416	98.5	185918	51162	47279	284359	99.0	61943
NON-PRIVATE DWELLINGS	3285	1.5	927	638	921	2486	1.0	-799
TOTAL OCCUPIED DWELLINGS	225701	100.0	186845	51800	48200	286845	100.0	61144
UNOCCUPIED DWELLINGS	17965		10088	6818	11368	28274		10309

TABLE 2.NUMBER OF INMATES BY CLASS OF DWELLING,PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION,URBAN AND RURAL, WESTERN AUSTRALIA , CENSUSES 1966 AND 1971

PERSONS ENUMERATED IN FOLLOWING CLASSES OF DWELLING -	CENSUS 30 JUNE 1966		CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971					
	TOTAL	PROPORTION OF TOTAL POPULATION	MAJOR URBAN	OTHER URBAN	RURAL	TOTAL	PROPORTION OF TOTAL POPULATION	INCREASE OR DECREASE
PRIVATE DWELLINGS -								
PRIVATE HOUSE	737943	87.0	560792	163767	156029	880588	85.5	142645
VILLA UNIT	N.A.	N.A.	2014	1019	1043	4076	0.4	N.A.
SELF-CONTAINED FLAT	29854	3.5	47490	5840	879	54209	5.3	24355
OTHER PRIVATE DWELLINGS	17844	2.1	3884	8170	11313	23367	2.3	5523
TOTAL PRIVATE DWELLINGS	785641	92.6	614180	178796	169264	962240	93.4	176599
NON-PRIVATE DWELLINGS	57340	6.8	27234	19295	17965	64494	6.3	7154
CAMPERS-OUT	2081	0.2	386	304	428	1118	0.1	-963
MIGRATORY	3038	0.4	0	0	2617	3617	0.3	-421
TOTAL POPULATION	848100	100.0	641800	198395	187657	1030469	100.0	182369

TABLE 3. CLASS OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLING BY NUMBER OF ROOMS, WESTERN AUSTRALIA , CENSUSES 1966 AND 1971

NUMBER OF ROOMS	CLASS OF DWELLING				
	PRIVATE HOUSE	VILLA UNIT	SELF-CONTAINED FLAT	OTHER PRIVATE	TOTAL
CENSUS 30 JUNE 1966					
1 ROOM	194	N.A.	282	3336	3812
2 ROOMS	1608	N.A.	2869	1688	6165
3 ROOMS	5000	N.A.	4835	1144	11979
4 ROOMS	34821	N.A.	4058	563	39442
5 ROOMS	86146	N.A.	1393	251	87790
6 ROOMS	45104	N.A.	404	101	45609
7 ROOMS	17723	N.A.	141	50	17914
8 ROOMS AND OVER	9567	N.A.	99	39	9705
TOTAL	201163	N.A.	14081	7172	222416
AVERAGE NUMBER OF ROOMS PER DWELLING	5.3	N.A.	3.4	2.1	5.1
CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971					
1 ROOM	504	150	1395	4614	6663
2 ROOMS	2210	396	7152	2312	12070
3 ROOMS	10599	690	9128	1332	21749
4 ROOMS	43817	402	5710	420	50349
5 ROOMS	113451	172	1500	207	115330
6 ROOMS	50622	45	303	121	51091
7 ROOMS	17557	15	96	55	17723
8 ROOMS AND OVER	9009	55	189	131	9384
TOTAL	247769	1925	25473	9192	284359
AVERAGE NUMBER OF ROOMS PER DWELLING	5.2	3.3	3.0	2.0	4.9

TABLE 4. CLASS OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLING BY NUMBER OF BEDROOMS, WESTERN AUSTRALIA , CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971

NUMBER OF BEDROOMS	CLASS OF DWELLING				
	PRIVATE HOUSE	VILLA UNIT	SELF-CONTAINED FLAT	OTHER PRIVATE	TOTAL
NO BEDROOM	692	272	1802	4026	6792
1 BEDROOM	6920	688	10483	2307	20398
2 BEDROOMS	55281	619	11036	1067	68003
3 BEDROOMS	144086	215	1521	281	146103
4 BEDROOMS	33603	38	141	81	33863
5 BEDROOMS AND OVER	5626	48	127	154	5955
NOT STATED	1561	45	363	1276	3245
TOTAL	247769	1925	25473	9192	284359
AVERAGE NUMBER OF BEDROOMS PER DWELLING	2.9	1.5	1.5	0.7	2.7

TABLE 5. OCCUPIED PRIVATE HOUSES AND SELF-CONTAINED FLATS BY NATURE OF OCCUPANCY, NUMBERS AND PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION URBAN AND RURAL, WESTERN AUSTRALIA , CENSUSES 1966 AND 1971

NATURE OF OCCUPANCY	CENSUS 30 JUNE 1966		CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971					
	TOTAL	PROPORTION OF TOTAL	MAJOR URBAN	OTHER URBAN	RURAL	TOTAL	PROPORTION OF TOTAL	INCREASE OR DECREASE
PRIVATE HOUSES								
OWNER	150542	74.8	118226	25518	27807	171551	69.2	21009
TENANT OF GOVERNMENT	16206	8.1	13048	6213	1807	21068	8.5	4862
TENANT OF EMPLOYER	N.A.	N.A.	1647	5956	3902	11505	4.6	N.A.
TENANT OTHER *	29672	14.8	22384	5509	3654	31547	12.7	1875
OTHER	3899	1.9	2365	1450	4457	8272	3.3	4373
NOT STATED	844	0.4	2007	769	1050	3826	1.5	2982
TOTAL	201163	100.0	159677	45415	42677	247769	100.0	46606
SELF-CONTAINED FLATS								
OWNER	1880	13.4	2739	204	85	3028	11.9	1148
TENANT OF GOVERNMENT	1113	7.9	2443	273	19	2735	10.7	1622
TENANT OF EMPLOYER	N.A.	N.A.	216	352	61	629	2.5	N.A.
TENANT OTHER *	10702	76.0	16355	1412	109	17876	70.2	7174
OTHER	309	2.2	415	96	66	577	2.3	268
NOT STATED	77	0.5	534	84	10	628	2.5	551
TOTAL	14081	100.0	22702	2421	350	25473	100.0	11392

* NOTE - DATA NOT COMPARABLE FOR 1966 AND 1971 - SEE EXPLANATORY NOTES

TABLE 6. OCCUPIED PRIVATE HOUSES AND SELF-CONTAINED FLATS BY MATERIAL OF OUTER WALLS, WESTERN AUSTRALIA CENSUSES 1966 AND 1971

MATERIAL OF OUTER WALLS	CENSUS 30 JUNE 1966				CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971			
	HOUSES	PROPORTION OF TOTAL	FLATS	PROPORTION OF TOTAL	HOUSES	PROPORTION OF TOTAL	FLATS	PROPORTION OF TOTAL
BRICK	89377	44.4	11070	78.6	131328	53.0	22799	89.5
BRICK VENEER	10938	5.4	231	1.6	14765	6.0	310	1.2
STONE	3091	1.5	244	1.7	3320	1.3	212	0.8
CONCRETE	4666	2.3	412	2.9	2533	1.0	671	2.6
TIMBER	26294	13.1	568	4.0	33801	13.6	492	1.9
METAL	4204	2.1	181	1.3	4183	1.7	113	0.4
FIBRO-CEMENT	61343	30.5	1364	9.7	56598	22.8	848	3.3
OTHER	1251	0.6	11	0.1	1241	0.5	28	0.1
TOTAL	201163	100.0	14081	100.0	247769	100.0	25473	100.0

TABLE 7. OCCUPIED PRIVATE HOUSES AND SELF-CONTAINED FLATS GAS, ELECTRICITY AND TV FACILITIES, URBAN AND RURAL WESTERN AUSTRALIA , CENSUSES 1966 AND 1971

FACILITIES	CENSUS 30 JUNE 1966		CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971							
			MAJOR URBAN		OTHER URBAN		RURAL		TOTAL	
	HOUSES	FLATS	HOUSES	FLATS	HOUSES	FLATS	HOUSES	FLATS	HOUSES	FLATS
GAS ONLY	731	22	52	20	26	1	356	3	434	24
ELECTRICITY ONLY	126765	5265	103498	7527	29746	1698	22666	206	155910	9431
GAS AND ELECTRICITY	70423	8733	55543	14922	15270	673	18495	135	89308	15730
NO GAS,NO ELECTRICITY	2744	26	34	10	90	2	692	0	816	12
NOT STATED	500	41	548	223	283	47	467	6	1296	276
TOTAL	201163	14081	159673	22702	45415	2421	42676	350	247764	25473
WITHOUT TELEVISION	58606	5951	9684	4216	6666	622	9015	106	25365	4944
WITH TELEVISION	142557	8130	135191	14955	33250	1311	27979	169	196419	16435
NOT STATED	N.A.	N.A.	14803	3531	5499	488	5683	75	25985	4094
TOTAL	201163	14081	159677	22702	45415	2421	42677	350	247769	25473

TABLE 8. OCCUPIED PRIVATE HOUSES AND SELF-CONTAINED FLATS BY NUMBER OF MOTOR VEHICLES,URBAN AND RURAL WESTERN AUSTRALIA , CENSUSES 1966 AND 1971

NUMBER OF VEHICLES	CENSUS 30 JUNE 1966		CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971							
			MAJOR URBAN		OTHER URBAN		RURAL		TOTAL	
	HOUSES	FLATS	HOUSES	FLATS	HOUSES	FLATS	HOUSES	FLATS	HOUSES	FLATS
NO VEHICLES	35498	4875	23539	6860	5719	568	3349	68	32607	7496
1 VEHICLE	106481	7329	78811	12590	24876	1436	17506	195	121193	14221
2 VEHICLES	41384	1265	43560	2288	11200	271	12049	58	66809	2617
3 VEHICLES	10639	179	9201	249	2186	34	5453	15	16840	298
4 OR MORE VEHICLES	4333	44	2371	133	634	19	3583	8	6588	160
NOT STATED	2828	389	2195	582	800	93	737	6	3732	681
TOTAL	201163	14081	159677	22702	45415	2421	42677	350	247769	25473

TABLE 9. CLASS OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS BATHROOM AND KITCHEN FACILITIES WESTERN AUSTRALIA , CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971

FACILITIES	CLASS OF DWELLING					
	PRIVATE HOUSE	VILLA UNIT	SELF-CONTAINED FLAT	OTHER PRIVATE	TOTAL	PROPORTION OF TOTAL
BATHROOM ONLY	656	44	77	880	1657	0.6
KITCHEN ONLY	903	43	71	1427	2444	0.9
BATHROOM AND KITCHEN	244736	1798	25048	4843	276395	97.2
NO BATHROOM,NO KITCHEN	246	8	0	1074	1328	0.5
NOT STATED	1258	32	277	968	2535	0.9
TOTAL	247769	1925	25473	9192	284359	100.0

TABLE 10. OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS BATHROOM AND KITCHEN FACILITIES, NUMBERS AND PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION, URBAN AND RURAL
WESTERN AUSTRALIA , CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971

FACILITIES	MAJOR URBAN		OTHER URBAN		RURAL		TOTAL	
	NUMBER	PERCENTAGE	NUMBER	PERCENTAGE	NUMBER	PERCENTAGE	NUMBER	PERCENTAGE
BATHROOM ONLY	649	0.3	381	0.7	627	1.3	1657	0.6
KITCHEN ONLY	567	0.3	824	1.6	1053	2.2	2444	0.9
BATHROOM AND KITCHEN	183472	98.7	48911	95.6	44012	93.1	276395	97.2
NO BATHROOM,NO KITCHEN	201	0.1	308	0.6	819	1.7	1328	0.5
NOT STATED	1029	0.6	738	1.4	768	1.6	2535	0.9
TOTAL	185918	100.0	51162	100.0	47279	100.0	284359	100.0

TABLE 11.CLASS OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLING BY METHOD OF SEWAGE DISPOSAL, WESTERN AUSTRALIA , CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971

METHOD OF SEWAGE DISPOSAL	CLASS OF DWELLING				TOTAL	PROPORTION OF TOTAL
	PRIVATE HOUSE	VILLA UNIT	SELF-CONTAINED FLAT	OTHER PRIVATE		
MAINS SEWER	78410	1026	19650	2372	101468	35.7
SEPARATE SYSTEM	161641	818	5179	2817	170455	59.9
SANITARY PAN	3699	24	36	439	4198	1.5
OTHER	2227	23	19	2393	4662	1.6
NOT STATED	1792	34	579	1171	3576	1.3
TOTAL	247769	1925	25473	9192	284359	100.0

TABLE 12.OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS BY METHOD OF SEWAGE DISPOSAL, NUMBERS AND PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION, URBAN AND RURAL
WESTERN AUSTRALIA , CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971

METHOD OF SEWAGE DISPOSAL	MAJOR URBAN		OTHER URBAN		RURAL		TOTAL	
	NUMBER	PERCENTAGE	NUMBER	PERCENTAGE	NUMBER	PERCENTAGE	NUMBER	PERCENTAGE
MAINS SEWER	85411	45.9	14384	27.5	1973	4.2	101468	35.7
SEPARATE SYSTEM	98451	53.0	33359	66.4	38045	80.5	170455	59.9
SANITARY PAN	139	0.1	1321	2.6	2738	5.8	4198	1.5
OTHER	168	0.1	816	1.6	3678	7.8	4662	1.6
NOT STATED	1749	0.9	982	1.9	845	1.8	3576	1.3
TOTAL	185918	100.0	51162	100.0	47279	100.0	284359	100.0

TABLE 13.OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS BY CLASS BY NUMBER OF ROOMS AND NUMBER OF INMATES PER DWELLING
WESTERN AUSTRALIA , CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971

NUMBER OF INMATES PER DWELLING	DWELLINGS WITH ROOMS NUMBERING								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8+	TOTAL
					PRIVATE HOUSE				
1	327	959	2347	7173	7804	3350	950	498	23408
2	103	757	3830	15287	24962	10186	2991	1291	59407
3	33	213	1945	8126	21696	8693	2855	1337	44898
4	14	150	1462	6951	26923	10760	3687	1748	51695
5	10	65	561	3553	18555	8561	3296	1738	36339
6	9	23	230	1596	8574	4999	2035	1262	18728
7	4	17	106	611	3129	2339	972	597	7775
8 AND OVER	4	26	118	520	1808	1734	771	538	5519
TOTAL	504	2210	10599	43817	113451	50622	17557	9009	247769
					VILLA UNIT				
1	129	294	372	95	16	4	2	7	919
2	15	82	210	154	39	15	4	5	524
3	2	12	48	74	24	8	2	6	176
4	3	5	40	45	28	7	2	8	138
5	0	2	13	15	26	6	3	8	73
6	0	1	3	10	19	4	1	9	47
7	0	0	4	5	9	0	1	2	21
8 AND OVER	1	0	0	4	11	1	0	10	27
TOTAL	150	396	690	402	172	45	15	55	1925
					SELF-CONTAINED FLAT				
1	1039	2697	2520	1307	201	63	15	63	7905
2	297	3703	3856	2301	428	119	31	35	10770
3	50	622	1745	1231	218	41	11	18	3936
4	9	107	765	609	265	35	14	20	1824
5	0	19	181	187	258	20	11	28	704
6	0	4	42	53	96	19	7	12	233
7	0	0	15	16	26	5	2	8	72
8 AND OVER	0	0	4	6	8	1	5	5	29
TOTAL	1395	7152	9128	5710	1500	303	96	189	25473
					OTHER PRIVATE				
1	1874	560	238	101	88	72	32	97	3062
2	1326	832	276	102	27	26	9	12	2610
3	554	381	275	62	24	11	3	8	1318
4	428	302	248	64	30	2	4	4	1082
5	196	140	134	37	14	3	2	4	530
6	109	48	79	35	11	1	2	4	289
7	55	25	34	13	5	3	1	1	137
8 AND OVER	72	24	48	6	8	3	2	1	164
TOTAL	4614	2312	1332	420	207	121	55	131	9192
					TOTAL				
1	3369	4510	5477	8676	8109	3489	999	665	35294
2	1741	5374	8172	17844	25456	10346	3035	1343	73311
3	639	1228	4013	9493	21962	8753	2871	1369	50328
4	454	564	2515	7669	27246	10804	3707	1780	54739
5	206	226	889	3792	18853	8590	3312	1778	37646
6	118	76	354	1694	8700	5023	2045	1287	19297
7	59	42	159	645	3169	2347	976	608	8005
8 AND OVER	77	50	170	536	1835	1739	778	554	5739
TOTAL	6663	12070	21749	50349	115330	51091	17723	9384	284359

TABLE 14.OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS BY CLASS BY NUMBER OF BEDROOMS AND NUMBER OF INMATES PER DWELLING
WESTERN AUSTRALIA , CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971

NUMBER OF INMATES PER DWELLING	DWELLINGS WITH BEDROOMS NUMBERING: NONE	1	2	3	4	5 AND OVER	NOT STATED	TOTAL
PRIVATE HOUSE								
1	390	2680	10043	8311	1315	316	353	23408
2	147	2855	22436	28891	4129	595	354	59407
3	59	624	10768	27757	4702	674	314	44898
4	35	404	7409	36141	6577	835	294	51695
5	28	174	2946	24996	7074	1003	118	36339
6	18	93	1050	11515	5038	952	62	18728
7	8	42	354	4104	2671	559	37	7775
8 AND OVER	7	48	275	2371	2097	692	29	5519
TOTAL	692	6920	55281	144086	33603	5626	1561	247769
VILLA UNIT								
1	252	471	137	24	2	5	28	919
2	14	190	253	46	8	3	10	524
3	3	19	104	35	8	5	2	176
4	2	5	80	35	6	8	2	138
5	0	2	20	36	8	5	2	73
6	0	1	9	22	6	9	0	47
7	0	0	8	9	0	3	1	21
8 AND OVER	1	0	8	8	0	10	0	27
TOTAL	272	688	619	215	38	48	45	1925
SELF-CONTAINED FLAT								
1	1309	4106	2099	138	20	45	197	7905
2	407	5303	4584	335	31	21	89	10770
3	65	907	2693	207	15	11	38	3936
4	19	137	1296	317	18	12	25	1824
5	0	26	274	349	26	18	11	704
6	1	3	65	134	19	8	3	233
7	1	0	26	32	7	6	0	72
8 AND OVER	0	1	8	9	5	6	0	29
TOTAL	1802	10483	11036	1521	141	127	363	25473
OTHER PRIVATE								
1	1613	587	115	67	41	115	524	3062
2	1134	879	176	39	9	14	359	2610
3	495	391	248	47	7	6	124	1318
4	368	248	237	47	6	4	172	1082
5	184	125	133	31	6	4	47	530
6	106	40	81	31	3	6	22	289
7	54	19	31	12	3	2	16	137
8 AND OVER	72	18	46	7	6	3	12	164
TOTAL	4026	2307	1067	281	81	154	1276	9192
TOTAL								
1	3564	7844	12365	8540	1378	481	1102	35294
2	1702	9227	27449	29311	4177	633	812	73311
3	622	1941	13813	28046	4732	696	478	50328
4	424	794	9022	36540	6607	859	493	54739
5	212	327	3373	25412	7114	1030	178	37646
6	125	137	1205	11702	5066	975	87	19297
7	63	61	419	4157	2681	570	54	8005
8 AND OVER	80	67	337	2395	2108	711	41	5739
TOTAL	6792	20398	68003	146103	33863	5955	3245	284359

TABLE 15.NUMBER OF OCCUPIED SELF-CONTAINED FLATS AND NUMBER OF INMATES BY NUMBER OF FLATS IN BLOCK
WESTERN AUSTRALIA , CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971

	SIZE OF BLOCK: 1	2	3-8	9-16	17-32	33 +	TOTAL
NUMBER OF SELF CONTAINED FLATS	1541	1208	5780	5390	4956	6598	25473
NUMBER OF INMATES	3423	2676	11952	11940	10961	13257	54209

TABLE 16.NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS BY NUMBER OF OTHER HOMES
URBAN AND RURAL, WESTERN AUSTRALIA , CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971

NUMBER OF OTHER HOMES	MAJOR URBAN: NUMBER	PERCENTAGE	OTHER URBAN: NUMBER	PERCENTAGE	RURAL: NUMBER	PERCENTAGE	TOTAL: NUMBER	PERCENTAGE
NONE	176634	62.1	47799	16.8	42309	14.9	266742	93.8
1	8031	2.8	2952	1.0	4027	1.4	15010	5.3
2	886	0.3	281	0.1	653	0.2	1820	0.6
3+	367	0.1	130	0.0	290	0.1	787	0.3
TOTAL	185918	65.4	51162	18.0	47279	16.6	284359	100.0

TABLE 17. UNOCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS BY CLASS BY REASON UNOCCUPIED, WESTERN AUSTRALIA , CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971

REASON UNOCCUPIED,	CLASS OF DWELLING: PRIVATE HOUSE	VILLA UNIT	SELF-CONTAINED FLAT	OTHER PRIVATE	TOTAL	PROPORTION OF TOTAL
FOR SALE	1586	62	640	7	2295	8.1
TO LET	2562	30	2419	191	5202	18.4
NEWLY BUILT	1256	16	226	4	1502	5.3
VACANT FOR REPAIR	801	0	42	4	847	3.0
HOLIDAY HOME	5999	155	167	199	6520	23.1
CONDEMNED	912	1	16	6	935	3.3
TEMPORARILY VACANT	5829	93	848	260	7030	24.9
OTHER REASONS	3143	15	80	74	3312	11.7
NOT STATED	546	2	40	43	631	2.2
TOTAL	22634	374	4478	788	28274	100.0

TABLE 18. UNOCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS BY REASON UNOCCUPIED, NUMBERS AND PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION, URBAN AND RURAL
WESTERN AUSTRALIA , CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971

REASON UNOCCUPIED	MAJOR URBAN: NUMBER	PERCENTAGE	OTHER URBAN: NUMBER	PERCENTAGE	RURAL: NUMBER	PERCENTAGE	TOTAL: NUMBER	PERCENTAGE
FOR SALE	1554	5.5	404	1.4	337	1.2	2295	8.1
TO LET	2882	10.2	1509	5.3	811	2.9	5202	18.4
NEWLY BUILT	749	2.6	422	1.5	331	1.2	1502	5.3
VACANT FOR REPAIR	388	1.4	218	0.8	241	0.9	847	3.0
HOLIDAY HOME	175	0.6	1976	7.0	4369	15.5	6520	23.1
CONDEMNED	233	0.8	170	0.6	532	1.9	935	3.3
TEMPORARILY VACANT	3433	12.1	1728	6.1	1869	6.6	7030	24.9
OTHER REASONS	502	1.8	251	0.9	2559	9.1	3312	11.7
NOT STATED	172	0.6	140	0.5	319	1.1	631	2.2
TOTAL	10088	35.7	6818	24.1	11368	40.2	28274	100.0

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